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(d) 🛮 No reply has been received.						
2. Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).						
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6. The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interfer of the decision has expired and there are no allowed clair		se the period for see	king court review			
7. 🛮 The reason(s) below:						
Applicant's representative, Kevin Wolff, confirmed t	hat no response has been sent o	n March 11, 2008.				
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